



## IN THE FRONT RANK.

There's Where the New York Senators Will Be Found.

BOTH WILL LOYALLY SUPPORT THE COMING ADMINISTRATION.

Mr. Cleveland Rapidly Paying Off Political Obligations—Complex Situation of Affairs in Nebraska—Three-Cornered Contest in Wisconsin—Gov. Turney of Tennessee Inaugurated To-Day—Politics.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 16.—"Mr. Cleveland, as President, will have no trouble with the opposition." This statement was made by Senator Hill. Mr. Hill says the assumption that any combination will be made to oppose Mr. Cleveland or his nominations for Cabinet or other positions in the Government is absurd.

"The presumption," said Senator Hill last night, "that there would be a combination between Senator Murphy and myself is preposterous. Mr. Cleveland has been elected President by the Democratic party, and as Democrats, both Senator Murphy and myself will support him."

Senator Hill believes Mr. Cleveland is rapidly paying off many obligations. Henry Villard undoubtedly raised more money for the Democratic campaign than any one man. It was something of an honor to be the first to entertain the President-elect at a public dinner, and this honor fell to Mr. Villard.

This dinner, according to the way Senator Hill looks at the matter, indicated two things: First, that Mr. Villard wanted to have a position in the Cabinet, and second, that Mr. Cleveland did not intend to give him what he wanted. The dinner, Senator Hill believes, settled the political debt Mr. Cleveland owes him.

Then came the Reform Club. That organization had done work for Mr. Cleveland and believed it was entitled to recognition. It got it. Mr. Hill's appearance at the quiet of honor at the club dinner, and in so doing wiped out his political debt. This settles, according to Senator Hill, the political debts of the Reform Club, and they need not expect anything further from the President-elect.

The chances of Tammany Hall with the new Administration are very good. The supposition is that there will be a fight between Tammany or any of its representatives in New York and Mr. Murphy, but that he takes possession of the White House, is without foundation.

Mr. Murphy, it is said, will not side with Senator Hill or anybody else who shall undertake to pose as the leader of a Democratic faction in opposition to Mr. Cleveland. On the contrary, Mr. Murphy will be found at all times supporting Mr. Cleveland in every way.

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This arrangement has set the anxious ones to hunting high and low, and there is no man who can tell among the various men who wanted to go to Washington in stead of Senator Paddock. On strictly party lines, Paddock has the lead among the Republicans. Hoyt, among the conservatives and Powers among the independents. But neither of these has any strength among the opposing forces, so that the choice is either Senator Hill or Senator Nease. The independent Democratic McKeligan still has the lead, and thus has the inside track. John M. Thurston, another conservative, and there are those among his supporters who say he is assured of several independent votes when they will elect him. It is given as a fact that he stands in his position as general solicitor for the Union Pacific and it is also given out that the idea that the Union Pacific has sacrificed its dues in this connection is entirely unfounded. In addition to the names mentioned there is an unnumbered host of senatorial rooms and a prolonged contest is looked for.

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IN WISCONSIN.

THREE-CORNERED STRUGGLE WITH NO ONE IN THE LEAD.

MADISON, Wis., Jan. 16.—Friends of John H. Knight of Ashland claim that the caucus of Democrats to nominate a United States Senator will be brief, and say the Ashland men will be present. Frank J. Fenton and Mitchell of Milwaukee, and Senator Paddock, Judge Thurston was here a few days ago, and while he professed that he had no headquarters and become an avowed candidate. An intimate friend said that in a day or two the Thurston men would be from all parts of the state and the active work in the campaign would be begun. This will add much to the excitement as Thurston is ad-

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Mrs. Alexander Voss, whose husband at one time fell under suspicion in connection with the Josie Simmons murder case, called at the Four Courts to-day and wanted to get a warrant against her husband for changing his residence. She told him in the room to answer through the Post-office. Levy went to the boarding-house, he said, and found that his wife had gone. Levy said that a couple who gave their names as Herman Rick and wife had boarded at 1620 Pine street. Last Saturday evening he said he had to work late, and sent a messenger boy with a note to his wife informing her. The boy returned with a note stating that the lady wanted to leave the room. She told him in the room to answer through the Post-office. Levy went to the boarding-house, he said, and found that his wife had gone. Levy said that a couple who gave their names as Herman Rick and wife had boarded at 1620 Pine street. The boy also left about the time his wife did and also a friend of Rick's named Richard Smith, who boarded at the place. Levy stated that his wife and Mrs. Rick were very intimate.

CUTTING DOWN.

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 16.—A warrant was issued to-day against Gil-

burt Burks, colored, of No. 40 South Thirteenth street, who is suspected of damaging the property of Ollie Hopkins of No. 1808 Franklin street, who was killed yesterday afternoon by Officer McGlynn. Burks went to the house where Ollie Hopkins was living on Wednesday last. Later he was seen in the same clothing, cut and damaged and suspected Burks, with whom he had had some trouble.

Cut the Red Clothes.

Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 16.—A slight shock of earthquake was felt in this place at 8:30 o'clock last night. A dull, rumbling noise was heard and wind blowing in the direction of the disturbance was from west to east.

Desire to notify my customers that I have

a stock of "H. & K. Java and Mocha" coffee in 2-pound cans. Price \$1.25. W. Kuhnlein,

222 and 225 Gravelly avenue, and

Prepared by Scott & Sons, N. Y. All drugs.

## Signs of Health.

You don't have to look twice to detect them—bright eyes, bright color, bright smiles, bright in every action. Disease is overcome only when weak tissue is replaced by the healthy kind. Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil effects cure by building up sound flesh. It is agreeable to taste and easy of assimilation.



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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—The cor-

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city of Hoke Smith, called at the Arlington Hotel yesterday to engage rooms for his employer during inauguration week. All the rooms of the kind that Mr. Smith desired had been taken, and the correspondent was so informed.

"But," pleaded the Atlanta man, "Mr. Cleveland wants all the members of his Cabinet with him in the hotel."

"Well, what of that?" remarked Manager Bennett of the Arlington.

"Mr. Smith is to be Attorney-General and he must have a room, and he must have rooms at the hotel with President-elect."

"That so?" asked the hotel man.

"Yes," said the correspondent. "Mr. Smith is to be the Attorney-General."

"Then we will have to make some arrangement to accommodate him, and you can so

nently him."

HERBERT OF ALABAMA.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—According to a Washington special this afternoon Col. Daniel S. Lamont had been shifted on the Cabinet to the position of War Secretary, thus leaving the navy portfolio, which Lamont had held for some time, to Herbert of Alabama. It is said Amos Cummings was succeeded Herbert as chairman of the Committee on Naval affairs.

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R. J. Levy Asks the Police to Help Him Find Them.

THEY DISAPPEARED FROM THEIR BOARDING-HOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT.

Mrs. Vo's Husband Was Under Suspicion for the Josie Simmons Murder. Want Him Arrested for Abandonment—Crime and News From the Four Courts.

MISSOURI MATTERS.

Personal Notes and General News From Iner or Cities.

BROOKFIELD, Jan. 16.—Mrs. Geo. Martin entertained lady friends at her home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. E. A. Carroll gave a party Friday evening, in honor of visiting relatives, the Misses Stanfield of Gresham, O.

Mr. Frank J. McEvily entertained lady friends by a Columbian luncheon at his home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Evans, the bride's mother, were at the home of the bride Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Edward Laxom visited in Ladue this week, and that she deserted him in 1891. She, in her cross bill, alleged that he deserted her and her son, and that he now lives with another woman.

In addition to this she charges him with having thrown a kerosene lamp on the stove with the intention of blowing up the house.

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## LUNAR THEORY ILLUSTRATED.

January.  
New Moon, 17th, 7:38 A.



Watch the Weather Indications  
and compare with phases of the  
Moon!

## Cloaks.

A limited number of the Sealette Jackets are left. Like the genuine sealkin, they never look out of style, and we only ask

\$10.00

For a \$20 Jacket, to close them out in a hurry.

Ladies' Black Cheviot Winter Jackets,  
fur-trimmed—\$5.00 style for \$2.98  
\$7.50 style for \$3.48  
And \$10 style for \$4.98

We have, probably 50 in all, Ladies' Walking Coats, Reffers, Jackets, Top Coats and the like. They, too, shall go at half the manufacturer meant us to sell them for. We haven't time or space to describe them: no two are alike.

\$25 Jackets will go for \$12.50  
\$30 Jackets for \$15.00  
\$50 Jackets for \$25.00



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# Barr's Stock-Taking — St. Louis — BARGAINS!

A special bargain worth looking after is at the Black Goods counter. A really good black dress is the one garment that a woman regards with satisfaction, because it is ready for any occasion.

The Black Embroidered Robe Patterns at \$7.50 will make beautiful dresses. Not many of them are left. They were \$15.

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40-inch Black Satin Berbers, only 49c, and every thread wool, and the color the soft, velvety black that never grows rusty.

Then in the Colored Dress Goods there are beautiful goods that were cheaper here than elsewhere before we put the price down. Now—well, NOW—they are regular money-savers.

Camel's Hair Dress Patterns that were \$22.50 marked down to \$7.50.

All-wool Storm Serges—just the good, strong, serviceable fabric that we want for ordinary every day wear, reduced from 65c yard to 35c.

Then there is another grade of these Serges

marked down to 25c. You thought them cheap at 35c.

Our Camel's Hair Dress Patterns at \$5.00 the pattern are the greatest bargain we have ever been able to offer. There is less than 30 of them now.

At the Silk counter bargains are not so plentiful as they were a week ago, but there are a good many choice pieces left yet. Look over your wardrobe now and see if a few yards of silk will not make the new waist or improve the skirt of the handsome gown you thought passe. There are remnants here that will make it like new.

Brocades and Silks that combined will make elegant reception, dinner or tea gowns at half the cost before our sale.

Bargains for Children, too, and Boys.

Unlaunched Waists at 35c and 50c that were 50c and 75c.

Broken lots and sizes of Boys' Star Brand Shirt Waists, 75c now; were \$1.

Boys' Kne-Pant Jersey Suits, beautiful goods, fine and soft, only \$3.45 the suit; were \$7.00.

Don't fail to look through the Upholstery Department. There are bright bits, odds and ends here and there, that will repay you. And if you have a chair or sofa that needs re-covering, you may find just what you need, and we have marked down prices here, too, and will make a liberal discount on all work done during the dull months.

Every department is replete with offerings that are treasures to the housekeeper who must make a little money cover a multitude of needs.

## NOTICE.

We cannot afford to exchange or take back any goods purchased during our Stock-Taking Sale. Our customers will oblige us by not asking us.

**Barr's**  
—St. Louis—

## THREATEN TO BOLT.

Situation of Affairs in the Kansas Legislature.

POPULIST LEADERS STRUGGLING TO HOLD THEIR MEN IN LINE.

EIGHT MEMBERS SAID TO HAVE PLDED THEMSELVES TO GO OVER TO THE REPUBLICAN HOUSE IF A SETTLEMENT IS NOT REACHED THIS AFTERNOON—A Jrobable Agreement.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 16.—The one hope of effecting the dissolution of one of the two House organizations to-day is the inability of the Populist leaders to hold the Populist members in line. Several of them have threatened to go boldly into the Republican House and act with the Republicans unless a settlement is reached this afternoon when the two houses meet. At Republican headquarters it is given out that eight Populists have already pledged themselves to do this. In case this is effected it is believed that the Populist organization will be forced to surrender.

The Populists are holding a caucus this morning to decide upon a candidate for State printer, and the Republicans will hold one this afternoon for the same purpose.

To-day may witness the end of the struggle. By the terms of Representative Coburn's resolution agreed upon last night the rival houses will get together at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and no outsider will be permitted within. Neither Doster nor Breckinridge nor Simpson will be there to pull their senatorial strings and tie up Populist legislators. Bill Higgins and Senator Perkins and Ben Chapman will not be permitted to interfere with the conservative Republicans. Neither will Gov. Glick nor John Martin, whose old-time war has again been renewed, be present to interfere with the Democrats.

The Populists will probably agree to submit all to a judicial tribunal composed of three Supreme Court justices and six other jurists in the State, but there is a question as to how they will get together on the Speakership question. The Republicans under no circumstances will give up the speakership, and on this rock the split may come.

There is also a difference of opinion as to the Senate contests, as the Republicans and Populists hold radically different views. The Republicans contend that the same judicial tribunal which passes on the House cases should arbitrate in the Senate, and the Populists hold that the Senate organization should be left intact and is unquestioned. An agreement between the Senators on this proposition would materially assist.

No State legislation has been passed through a process similar to the one which Kansas has witnessed. There have been rival legislative branches in a half dozen instances, but they have not necessarily contested their seats in the same hall and the opposing speakers have not rapped for order at the same time. At midnight on each side of noon since Wednesday the legislators have gone to their various headquarters and talked

inconsistencies. "But he has been caught this morning," said Mr. Hill, "by our brilliant young giant, and if he does not know Dr. Lenig, he has an opportunity to be educated in his ways." says Mr. Nau.

"I was about to ask who is Dr. Snyder? He is certainly a very small man to advocate the Sunday opening of the World's Fair."

"Dr. Snyder a Christian minister?" inquired Rev. Philip W. Jacoby.

"Why he is the pastor of the Unitarian Church of the Messiah," answered Rev.

Dr. Marritt, President of the meeting.

"I know that, but is the Unitarian a Christian church?" persisted Mr. Jacoby.

"Yes, it is, and we are all our hearts

and everybody would follow suit. Thus it was reached this afternoon by the opposition leaders throwing huge bunches of taffy at each other and laying all the blame on the mandamus."

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## ABOUT TOWN.

MISS JENNIE SMITH, Directress of the railroad temperance work of the National W. C. T. U., conducted a meeting in the gentlemen's waiting room of the Central Christian Church, where a meeting was opened by S. Charles Green, Secretary of the Railroad W. M. C. A., and Miss Smith delivered an address. A large audience was present, and a prayer list.

LOUISIANA.—Louis Christian Endowment Union will meet officers next Saturday evening at Central Christian Church.

EDGAR F. ALDEN, L. M. Hutchison, H. W. McCallum, and others, all of whom are President and Miss Ernestine Keenz and Walter Townsend for Secretary.

JOHN W. ELLIOTT, President of the

International Convention Committee of the St. Louis Sunday-school Union will meet to-morrow night in the office of W. H. McClain.

The convention, which is to be held for the annual World's Sunday-school Congress, will meet at St. Louis next August.

JOHN EPSTEIN, 24 years old, was arrested yesterday morning at the foot of Pine street.

He was identified by James Curtis as that of his father, John W. Epstein, 50, who was driving home with his wife and Miss Mary Hobin of Carondelet, when the vehicle was turned out, Mrs. Miner's leg was broken and Miss Hobin's arm fractured.

JOHN MCLEAN, colored, quarreled with having

held a meeting last night at Lightstone's Hall, and elected President for the next year as follows:

Andrew F. O'Connor, Second Vice-President;

John J. O'Connor, Secretary, and W. J. Flanagan, Treasurer.

ATTORNEY JOSEPH FURLONG gave notice to Circuit Attorney Zachariah to-day that he would apply

for a writ of habeas corpus for the release of

F. Lewis, who has served a thirty days' jail sentence.

JOHN COOKE, colored, quarreled with Minnie Polk, also colored, at their home, 1506 Clark avenue, yesterday morning, and afterwards he went to her home with a revolver. He had a pistol loaded out of the window, and was badly injured by his own bullet. John C. Cook, also colored, of No. 101 Franklin, was arrested yesterday on a charge of assault to kill.

WILS HOWARD, the Kentucky desperado, who has been confined in the city jail for two years, was released yesterday morning.

He was indicted for the murder of his mother.

This is about the tenth time that he has been let out of Lebanon.

JOHN BROWN, colored, was arrested yesterday on a charge of malicious destruction of property preferred by Sadie Hopkins, also colored, of No.

101 Franklin.

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AMUSEMENTS TO-NIGHT.

THE HAGAN—Patterson Hall,  
GRAND OPERA-HOUSE—"AH Baba!"  
OLYMPIC—Mr. E. H. Sothern.  
POPEY—"Spider and Fly."  
HAVLINS—"The World against Her."  
STANDARD—"Vesper Bell."  
GERMAN—Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday.

Weather forecast for thirty-six hours, begin-  
ning at 8 a. m., to-day, for St. Louis: Cloudy; warmer  
weather Tuesday; variable winds, shifting to  
southerly. While somewhat warmer  
weather exists in the central portion of the  
Mississippi Valley, the temperature through-  
out the United States is lower than any previous  
day this season. In the Atlantic States from North  
Carolina to New England the temperature on Jan. 10  
was 26 deg. as reported from Jacksonville. In  
the extreme northwest it is much colder than pre-  
viously reported, 20 deg. being reported from  
Flagstaff and 32 deg. from St. Vincent. No snow has  
fallen in the Western States.

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HENRY GEORGE has Dr. McGlynn with  
him and has his hopes of the Pope.

In looking after Gil Pierce's throat and  
Steve Elkins' gold fields, Mr. Harrison's  
time must be fully occupied.

MRS. CARNEGIE may be strong in some  
respects, but he is liberal to witnesses. Five  
hundred dollars is a very good witness  
fee.

THERE is a large party that doesn't care  
whether the World's Fair is kept open on  
Sunday or not. They are the people who  
have been denied space for their exhibits.

EVEN the Tennessee rivers are frozen over.  
The cold has traveled so far South  
that before the end of the month we may  
hear of frost-bitten alligators in Florida.

CHICAGO is still plugging along with her  
poor old horse-cars. The Windy City  
should get a gait on her before the World's  
Fair is opened. What will the visitors  
think?

UNCLE SAMUEL has some luck now and then.  
By his delay in building a navy he  
gets all the latest improvements, and by  
the Panama scandal he gets a big tip on  
Nicaragua.

PERHAPS it was Carnegie's philanthropy  
that induced him to give his principal  
witness in the Homestead poisoning case \$500.  
Philanthropy, like charity, may cover a  
multitude of sins.

SENATOR HILL now says that he must  
support Cleveland's administration whether  
he likes it or not. The Senator is not always  
the first to join the procession, but  
he always joins it.

THE coming of Satolli to the United  
States has been welcome to the newspapers  
at least. There has been a great deal of  
highly interesting religious reading since  
the good Archbishop landed.

ANOTHER coal combine atrocity is oper-  
ating in Ohio, where the people are suffer-  
ing from the cold. Is there no way to tear  
the mines from the grasp of monopolists,  
who shut them up when they are most  
needed?

THE report that one of the medical wit-  
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ceived a check for \$500 from the Carnegie  
company is not necessarily false. Evidence  
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THE Guthrie convention for the promo-  
tion of the Indian Territory opening may  
do good work in pushing the Cherokee  
outlet bill through Congress, but it will  
fail to serve its best end if it does not lay  
the basis for a general convention and the  
formation of a permanent organization to  
promote the settlement of all Indian  
reservations in the Southwest. That is  
the great object to be accomplished in be-  
half of commerce and civilization.

THERE is imminent danger of one or two  
big monopolies getting control of the  
streets and holding subway privileges at  
their own terms. This must be prevented  
at all hazards, and the only way to do this  
seems to be for the city to build the subways  
according to the plan already outlined in  
these columns. At any rate the people  
will not tolerate a surrender of their right  
for all time to a private corporation intent  
upon getting public revenues which it does  
not earn.

A SABBATARIAN presented a petition  
from Pennsylvanians the other day which  
he said, was signed by men who could buy  
and run the fair. A more important  
argument against Sunday closing could  
not have been made. Men who can buy  
and run the fair can keep the holy Sabbath  
day according to the strictest sabbatarian  
rules without losing any of the  
benefits derived from seeing the show six  
times a week. It is otherwise with peo-  
ple who have to work for a living.

## COLLAPSE OF THE MACHINE.

The election of Edward Murphy to the  
United States Senate is looked upon by  
machine politicians as a rebuke to the  
President-elect, and a notice that he will  
have to fight a guerrilla war with the two  
Senators from New York.

But the more probable consequence will  
be the disruption of the Hill-Crocker-  
Murphy combine. Mr. Cleveland fought  
this combination in 1884, in 1888 and again  
before the convention of 1892. The long  
war ended in the total defeat of the Hill  
faction and its practical extinction as a  
real influence with voters. It has gone  
the way of all machines, which are bound  
sooner or later to become arrogant and  
self-sufficient.

We may look for a quarrel between  
these three, because nothing can be  
gained by continuing the partnership.  
Mr. Murphy is more likely to be a thorn  
in Hill's side than a foe of the Administra-  
tion. He cannot support Mr. Cleveland very  
effectively because he has neither the taste  
nor talent for statesmanship. But he has  
a vote and will probably find it to his  
interest to aid the President by casting it  
to defeat the factious purposes of the discon-  
tent. He can play a humble role as  
an office broker and as such need not be offend-  
ive, although, of course, it is not pleasant  
to contemplate a United States Senator  
rotting around the departments in the inter-  
est of small office seekers.

From present appearances, therefore,  
obstructionist tactics even if tried will not  
be successful, as both Senators must agree  
if they are to command that curious thing  
known as "Senatorial courtesy." Mr.  
Cleveland's New York appointments will  
be confirmed without a struggle and the  
time of the Senate will not be wasted with  
a faction fight like that which disgraced it  
during the Garfield administration.

## JUSTIFYING CRIME.

In a report of a defalcation in the office  
of the Treasurer of St. Charles County the  
following statement occurs: "No one be-  
lieves that Treasurer Mittelberger has been  
willfully dishonest. The sentiment is that  
it is a case of unfortunate business invest-  
ment."

This statement suggests a form of false  
sentiment which prevails to an astonishing  
extent and which has a strong tendency to  
undermine the standard of honesty which  
should control all public trusts. The plot  
in behalf of officials who lose funds en-  
trusted to their care through unfortunate  
investment for personal profit, that they  
intended to return it is common, and is  
often used effectively to prevent prosecu-  
tion, but it is directly contrary to law  
and morality. The distinction between  
the guilt of the thief who picks a pocket  
or robs a till with no intention of return-  
ing the money and that of the official who  
uses public funds for his own profit with  
no certainty that he will be able to return  
them is slight. On high moral grounds the  
common thief usually has the advantage of  
the defaulter official because the former  
betrays no trust and often steals to live,  
whereas the latter violates a sacred trust  
and steals from motives of greed. The  
standpoints, advantages and responsibil-  
ties of the two as a rule make the act  
of the official far more culpable than  
the act of the common thief.

The pernicious effects of this misapplica-  
tion of the element of intention in theft  
may be noted in many cases of defalcation  
in which laws are brought into contempt  
and the standard of public morality is de-  
based by the protection of defaulters from  
punishment. It is a dangerous fallacy.

The trust is violated in the  
act of appropriating public funds  
to personal use and the official  
who risks the money, with the care of  
which he is charged to the uncertainties  
of speculation or business ventures  
for the profit of himself or his friends is a  
thief in fact and practically consents to  
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which charitable pity on account of spe-  
cial temptation or weakness involved in  
the criminal act is proper enough. In  
fact, all such offenders are objects of pity,  
but this feeling should never be permitted  
to operate in the direction of securing  
legal or moral justification of the offense.  
The safety of the correct standard of  
morality, the purity of public office and  
the security of public funds demand the  
branding of crime in its true character  
and the punishment of the criminal.

Interview With Bishop Keane—Complete  
Justification of Archbishop Ireland—  
More Concerning the Letters Stolen  
From Rome—Dr. McGlynn Pursues  
a Crack-and-Religious Intelligence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—Mgr. Satolli  
confirms the belief that the Pope is seriously  
displeased at the manner in which his legate  
to America has been treated by certain eccl-  
esiastics. Bishop Keane, in whom Mgr.  
Satolli repose entire confidence, spoke au-  
thoritatively.

"I have no information whatsoever," said  
he, "in regard to the alleged protests sent by  
the Archbishop of New York and do not know  
that the Pope's action was occasioned  
thereby, but I do know that the holy father  
considers that his legate has not been  
treated with proper respect, that he feels it  
keenly and that he is fully determined to as-  
sert the authority of his representative."

"Do you consider that this action is a re-  
buke to Archbishop Corrigan?" he was asked.

"Not of necessity, for the reason that the  
charges, formulated principally by the press,  
have not been proven—and because I am not  
yet thoroughly convinced that he has ever  
filed protest. It is, however, a complete  
justification of Archbishop Ireland. The es-  
tablishment of what has been aptly termed a  
supreme court in America is due to the fact  
that the holy father, after considering the  
existing state of affairs in the church,  
believed to this the opportunity for  
the establishment of his delegation. The step  
had been under advisement for some time  
past. Transactions in regard to even the  
minutest details concerning one country for a  
settlement through the medium of correspondence.  
As to the powers conferred upon the  
new legate, any bishop can still go directly  
to the Holy See for consideration of  
any point at issue, but the probabilities are  
that all matters pertaining to the church in  
the United States will hereafter be referred  
to the Pope."

"Where will be the headquarters of the  
delegation?"

"Mgr. Satolli will reside in the Catholic  
University of this city for some months to  
come, and Washington will certainly be the  
seat of his delegation."

"In regard to the letters stolen from Rome,  
have you any information as to how they  
were obtained?"

"None whatever. This is a remarkable  
fact, unique in the history of the church. I  
know positively that the letters were stolen,  
and with the intention of doing harm to  
Archbishop Ireland. Future investigation  
by the Holy See will make plain by whom  
and at whose instigation the deed was done.  
It was low thievery to take the letters;  
it is blackmail to use them; as they have endeavored.  
No other author of the deed is necessary.  
The thief should be punished, see me. I  
shall be very happy indeed to comply with  
his wish to have that occasion to thank  
him in person for his kindly and enlightened  
conduct in the affair."

In the statement presented to Archbishop  
Satolli there is no explanation away or depart-  
from the facts as he has told them, and it  
is hard to conceive how he could have  
done otherwise. The Pope's letter to the  
Archbishop of Ireland, which he had submitted  
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**Senator Stone Says the Towers Will Not Be Permitted.**

**HE EXPLAIN THE "OVERHEAD" CLAUSES OF HIS WIRE BILL.**

The Board of Publ's Improvement Practically May Do What It Please With the Companies—In Local Legislation Monopolistic and the Senate Bill Protective.

The Stone bill has not yet been referred to any Senate Committee by Lieut.-Gov. John B. O'Meara. It may go either to the Committee on Miscellaneous Corporations, which takes charge of bills affecting other corporations than railways, or it may be referred to the Committee on Cities, Towns and Villages. On the first committee there is only one St. Louis member, Senator Dickey. On the second there is no St. Louis Senator. No matter which committee gets the bill, it will be pushed to a hearing as quickly as Senator Stone wants it. The Senator says he intends to have the first hearing on the bill within a week. He has made all the preparation he thinks necessary to meet the opposing arguments of the corporations and their representatives at Jefferson City, and he will not allow them to injure the bill by dilatory tactics.

**STONE'S MAIN ARGUMENT.**

The companies are very adroitly using in Jefferson City the argument that in St. Louis they are applying for permission to lay conduits. "That subterfuge of theirs is very easily met," said the Senator, to a Post-DISPATCH reporter. "It is perfectly plain to everybody who understands the conduit situation in St. Louis that the Bell Telephone Co. and the Missouri Electric Lighting Co. would obtain a monopolistic grip on the conduits of the city if the Assembly and the Board of Public Improvements gave them what they ask for."

The Post-DISPATCH seems to understand that scheme very well. If the Senate bill passes, no company that wants to lay a conduit will have a particle of advantage over the other, because the Board of Public Improvements would have to approve all the systems presented, and that approval certainly would not be given, if it appeared that one company's conduit was going to monopolize the underground space. The Senate bill puts out of the question any monopolistic scheme, while the local legislation admits of it.

**THE TWO CORPORATION REASONS.**

Now that is probably the principal reason why the companies oppose the Senate bill and want the city to legislate. The compulsory nature of the bill is of course the other obnoxious part of it to them. You will notice that none of the St. Louis applications or bills propose to make the com panies go under ground within two years. They are asking only for permission to lay conduits. When? When they please. That's not what the people of St. Louis want. They want to see the wires disappear, and they want to know that they will do so without certain damage.

"Undoubtedly, they would naturally follow us, if we did not have some companies using the same conduit or could give them separate ones, as they wanted."

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**The Rev. John R. Paxton, D.D.**

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**NEW MINISTER FROM CHINA.**

The Present Representative Soon to Be  
Sealed.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.—The Chinese Government has some difficulty in getting anyone to come to the United States from the Celestial Empire to act as Minister at Washington to represent Minister, Mr. Tsui Kwei Yen, who will soon return to his country in some perturbation of mind. He has been involved in several transactions in this country which have been represented to the Chinese Government as calculated to injure the standing of the Mongolian ruler in the eyes of the United States. Mr. Tsui has been commanded by Li Hung Chang, the Prime Minister of the Chinese Empire, and goes back to his country with the express orders of the Emperor to mollify wrath, which with his intimate knowledge of the intricacies of official vengeance assumes terrifying proportions. No one in the Chinese Government, and with the attitude of the United States apparently so pronounced toward the Chinese, has little chance of carrying out the instructions from Li Hung Chang, who stay at home and expects to be obeyed.

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**A LOST OPPORTUNITY.**

McClellan Had a Chance to End the Rebellion at One Blow.

MILITARY, Pa., Jan. 16.—A batch of manuscripts belonging to the late cavalry officer, Gen. J. Irving Gregg, formerly of Lewisburg, Pa., has been found and created quite a sensation among Grand Army men. It includes a copy of the report of the then Col. Gregg to Gen. McClellan, when the latter was commander of the Army of the Potomac. Col. Gregg was then the commanding general of the Union forces in the field, and was occupying a position that position discovered that Gen. Johnston of the rebel army was moving on McClellan's flank. He reported this to McClellan, but the latter could not be convinced of the accuracy of Gregg's report and did not take the necessary precautions.

Gen. Gregg submitted his report to McClellan and found out to his sorrow that his subordinate officer was correct. Johnston suddenly attacked the Union forces on the morning of Dec. 30, and was found to retreat. The celebrated seven-days' fighting on the Peninsula ensued, the Southern forces pursuing our army to the James river, where the hard fought battle of Malvern Hill followed. McClellan was relieved and Pope who had played a prominent part in the battle of Malvern Hill was fearfully routed. It is contended that Gen. McClellan takes the advice of Gregg, when the latter first reported the movement of the rebel forces, Richmond could have been taken and the backbone of the rebellion broken.

**WASHINGON GHOUls.**

Graves Desecrated in the Shadow of the Capitol Building.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16.—A morning paper prints a two-page article from its Washington correspondent, "commissioned to make inquiries concerning the unlawful desecration of graves in the interest of surgical science almost within the shadow of the capital building." The correspondent states that historic burials have been desecrated by ruffians whose audacity has no parallel even in the records of the loathsome calling operating, graphically told, with sketches of the tools employed, forms part of the story.

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WANTED—By an experienced man, position of bookkeeper or cashier; family with the guidance system; city reference. Ad. E 130, this office.

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WANTED—An experienced cigar salesman for city trade; ref. and security required. Ad. 402 Washington st., this office.

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WANTED—50 teams, with large beds, at 8th and Locust st. L. Kuehn. 59

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WANTED—A man to wash dishes. 620 Walnut st.

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## SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

## Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Endorse to address or copying to do by a lady in home. Ad. F 130, this office.

WANTED—Situation by young lady as assistant book-keeper or clerk. Ad. R 118, this office.

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WANTED—Female girls want situations to do without washing or ironing. Ad. D 130, this office.

WANTED—Situation by man and woman for general housework; can give good references. Apply to Mrs. Smallwood, Windsor House, 5 & 6th, 4th fl.

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WANTED—A situation as wash and iron. 2122 Olive st.

WANTED—Washing to take home or go out by day. 920 Gratiot st.

WANTED—Situation as laundress; willing to assist with housework. Apply at 1424 Morgan st.

## Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Situation by a young woman with child 6 months old; object good home; call at once. 1122 S. 18th st.

PARTIES wishing a good German girl for general housework; can give good references. Apply to Mr. St. Louis, 111th and Locust st.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

## Clerks and Saleswomen.

WANTED—Young ladies for dry goods; experience required. Ad. H 130, this office.

WANTED—Young lady with good education, one who understands office work; must bring references with her. Apply between 10 and 11 a. m. to Tussor, Gould Directory Co.

## HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

## General Housework.

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 1200 N. Broadway.

WANTED—Good girl for general housework. 2226 Whitehouse pl.

WANTED—A maid for general housework. 1851 Ridge st.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Call at 2941 Lasside av.

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**THE WEEK'S AMUSEMENTS.**

The Elks' Benefit at the Olympic—Other Attractions.

The theatrical attraction of the week will be the Elks' benefit at the Olympic to-night. Every arrangement has been made to make the occasion a social as well as a dramatic success. The Reception Committee will attend in evening dress. The money derived will be devoted exclusively to charitable purposes. E. H. Sothern in his new play, "Captain Letterblair," will be the attraction.

Miss Pauline Hall opened her second engagement at the Hagan last night, the piece being "Ermine." The audience was large and enthusiastic and the opera on the whole was well received. Miss Hall sang well. Her voice was looking her best, sung well and acted better. Her high notes equal to her lower register, she would sing much more if she could. She is a real singer and a good actress. The Elks' benefit will be held at the Olympic to-night. The Princess of Gomponapoux, "Eva Devonport" was excellent. The role of Ravenna was sung by Harry Macdonough and the rôle of Cadmus by Frank David. It might be objected that their acting was too broadly farcical. To repeat, however, that the rôle of Ravenna can be stolen from the foot of a running man and his necktie abstracted without attracting his attention is asking a great deal of their credit. The rôle of Cadmus was well done. Eugene Merel and sang with great taste and sweetness. The stage setting and costuming were excellent.

An excellent performance, "The Spider and the Fly," opened a week's engagement at the Grand Opera House. The comic effects are particularly good, but a great many excellent vaudeville features are introduced, and the company contains a large number of excellent specialty artists. As a whole the performances of the porte sisters were excellent. Miss Berrie Crawford and Miss Frances Harrison sang excellently, and some of the specialty features and scenic effects were admirable.

One of the best performances ever seen at the Standard is the "Vesper Bells." The comic effects are particularly good, and the piece was written after Miss Gray, the star, is an actress of more than ordinary ability. The rescue by St. Bernard dog, the avalanche and the pursuit of a sinner by bears are among the exciting episodes.

Agnes Wallace Villa in "The World Against Her" is a gem. She is a real actress and plays the part of Edie Carton with force and spirit. She is supported by a strong company, and the stage effects are excellent.

To-night "All Babes" will open a week's engagement at the Grand Opera-house. Since it was last seen here many new features have been introduced; all of the old company have been retained, and the piece has closed a phenomenal run in San Francisco.

Nervous headaches promptly cured by Bromo-Seltzer—10¢ a bottle.

**The Iroquois Philharmonic Club**

The second concert of the Cecilia Society will be given by the Detroit Philharmonic Club at Entertainment Hall on Monday evening, Jan. 23. The Detroit Club made its first appearance in St. Louis last April and at once established itself as familiar with the musical public. The club have been playing together for eight years, with one or two short periods during that time, and the world last season has not been perfect in mechanical execution, but also in musically conception and treatment.

It is to be hoped that the Philharmonic is making good its promises. Conductors by such organizations as the New York Philharmonic and the Detroit Philharmonic are valuable lessons to students of music, amateur and professional, and to every admirer of good music.

**HILLBROOK, Jan. 16.**—An unknown man with the initials "J. E. A." tattooed on one arm died to death from a cut in the arm at the Monroe County Poor-house. The wound was reported as having been caused by a sharp instrument.

A young man, appointed Oliver Buzzard conservator for his sister, Maggie Buzzard, an insane person, was found living near Macon, went into that village and got a drunk. It was such a rare occurrence that after sobering up at the hotel he attempted to get home with a loaded knife, but succeeded in making bad wounds only.

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**MASON CITY.**

**MOSCOW, Jan. 16.**—The reports from St. Clair, Clinton, Washington and other counties in the wheat-growing belt of Southern Illinois indicate that the growing crop has suffered severe injury on account of the heat and the extremely cold weather of the past week.

The Illinois Bimonthly Ladies' Literary society will meet at the residence of Miss Julia Fossette this evening.

Yesterday was the coldest day of the winter here. According to the thermometer registered 8° degrees below zero. The ice at Lincoln Lake is about ten inches thick.

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The great Wainwright building at Seventh and Chestnut streets, in its loftiness and grandeur, is now in the full swing of business, and its nine stories and 225 offices will be the scene of ceaseless commercial industry for a century or more. The \$500,000 or more expended on this structure shows substantial results.

The ten stories tower above the sidewalk 135 feet, as against the 138 feet of the prospective sixteen-story Union Trust Building at Seventh and Olive, and as against about 220 feet at the Masonic building of twenty stories in Chicago. The building structure is of steel throughout, it being the product of the Phoenix Iron Co. of Pennsylvania. The plats for this kind of work are very minute, every bolt hole being designated.

A recent measurement shows that the building has settled but one-fourth of an inch, which would not have surprised the builders if it had shown an inch. One office has settled three or four inches. The weight on each square foot at the Wainwright site is over 100,000 pounds.

The front of the building are composed of stone, brick and ornamental terra cotta, the brick used requiring the number of 1,000,000 to 1,200,000 to cover the entire surface.

The vestibules at the main entrance and main halls are finished entirely in marble, and the marble and walls are covered with rich mosaic. The corridors and lavatories throughout the building have mosaic floors and marble wainscoting. The plumbing is of the highest quality and the fixtures being the best and most modern to be found. The elevators are of superb make and fitted with all modern improvements.

The elevator shafts are well lighted and the cars highly ornamented, and thus the "ups and downs" of the building seek are made pleasant.

The structure is strictly fireproof throughout. The power department in the basement is the largest ever arranged in a building arranged with a great degree of convenience.

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